

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Violet Varona-Lukens, Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held September 2, 2003, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Knabe made the following statement:

"On August 28, 2003, a Redondo Union High School student was sexually assaulted at knifepoint in a girl's gym restroom. At this time there are no known facts pertaining to the identity or whereabouts of her attacker.

"It is vitally important for the County of Los Angeles to send a message that we, as a society, will do whatever it takes to protect innocent children from heinous crimes. In order to bring the perpetrator to justice, and make it clear we will not tolerate anyone sexually assaulting our children, I believe we should establish a reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person responsible."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Yaroslavsky, unanimously carried, the Board established a \$10,000 reward for any information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person responsible for the sexual assault of a Redondo Union High School student at knifepoint in the girl's gym restroom, located in the City of Redondo Beach on Thursday, August 28, 2003 at approximately 2:15 p.m.

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NOTICE OF \$10,000.00 REWARD OFFERED BY THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is establishing a \$10,000 reward for any information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person responsible for the sexual assault of a Redondo Union High School student at knifepoint in the girl's gym restroom, located in the City of Redondo Beach on Thursday, August 28, 2003 at approximately 2:15 p.m.

Any person having any information related to this crime is requested to call Detective Beck or Detective Shimkus at the Redondo Beach Police Department, Detective Bureau at (310) 379-2477 ext. 2351 and refer to Report No. 03-6081

The terms of the reward provide that:

- -- The information given that leads to the determination of the identity, the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons must be given no later than December 1, 2003. All reward claims must be in writing and shall be received no later than January 30, 2004.
- The total County payment of any and all rewards shall in no event exceed \$10,000 and no claim shall be paid prior to conviction unless the Board of Supervisors makes a finding of impossibility of conviction due to the death or incapacity of the person or persons responsible for the crime or crimes.
- -- The County reward may be apportioned between various persons and/or paid for the conviction of various persons as the circumstances fairly dictate.

Any claims for the reward funds should be filed no later than January 30, 2004 with the Executive Officer of the Board of Supervisors, 500 West Temple Street, Room 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration, Los Angeles, California 90012, Attention: Redondo Union High School Reward Fund. For further information, please call (213) 974-1747.

Si no entiende esta noticia o si necesita mas informacion, favor de llamar a este numero (213) 974-1747.

VIOLET VARONA-LUKENS EXECUTIVE OFFICER BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES